

REGIONAL MECHANISMS FOR THE LOW-CARBON, CLIMATE-RESILIENT TRANSFORMATION OF THE ENERGY-WATER-LAND NEXUS IN CENTRAL ASIA

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Project Background

- Increasing evidence on benefits of co-operation
- Climate action requires even stronger regional cooperation
- Build on positive developments in regional cooperation towards resource security
- "Operationalise" the nexus
- IKI support for action in this area
- 6-month preparatory phase

Energy-Water-Land Use Nexus Project













On behalf of:



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- Other development cooperation partners
- Private sector
- Academia
- Civil society organisations

Need for strengthened tools and evidence for the nexus

- Clearer "business case" for co-operation on nexus
- Compelling evidence base to secure political support
- More pilot projects to demonstrate the possibilities of nexus
- Practical tools and instruments to support cooperation
- Capacity building and dialogue to support progress
- Synergies with past and on-going work on the nexus

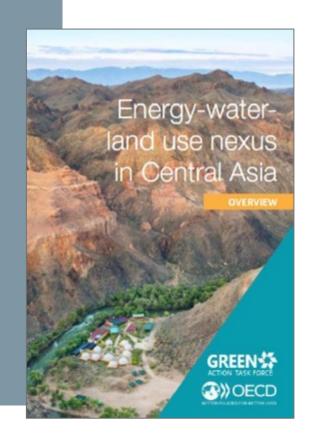
Proposed action under the new nexus project (2022-2025)

1. Mainstream the nexus principles into development planning

2. Expand evidence base on benefits of the nexus

3. Enhance access to finance for the nexus approach

- 4. Design **a financing mechanism** to promote nexus investments
- 5. Develop practical **tools and instruments** to support practitioners
- 6. Organise regional political dialogue and facilitate capacity development



High-Level Policy Dialogue on Energy-Water-Land Use Nexus in Central Asia





See also

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